



# Turks and Caicos Islands solar engine

Where can solar power be installed in Turks & Caicos?

Solar-derived power is increasing in popularity, with many private installations visible throughout the country, especially on new Turks and Caicos villa projects. Several local companies specialize in both supply and installation of alternative energy systems. The FortisTCI electricity plant on Providenciales.

Does Turks and Caicos have a policy on energy efficiency?

Turks and Caicos has few policies related to energy efficiency and renewable energy. Historically, the territory has not implemented policy mechanisms to aid in the development of clean and energy-efficient technologies.

Who produces electricity in Turks & Caicos?

In the Turks and Caicos, all public electricity generation is run by Fortis TCI, a vertically integrated company that provides both power generation and distribution.

How much electricity does Turks & Caicos need?

Current generation capacity is 86 MW across the country, with a peak demand of 46 MW (2022 data). The electricity standard in the Turks and Caicos is 120v, 60Hz and U.S. style power plugs.

Could ocean thermal energy help Turks and Caicos meet its peak demand?

Once wave and ocean thermal technologies are proven in the marketplace, ocean energy and ocean thermal energy conversion have potential as well. Abundant wind and solar resources, as well as the potential for other renewable sources could help Turks and Caicos meet or exceed its peak demand of 34.7 MW.

Who owns Turks & Caicos utility limited (TCU)?

Turks & Caicos Utility Limited (TCU) is wholly owned by FortisTCI and provides electricity to Grand Turk and Salt Cay. In 2010, the government of Turks and Caicos contracted with a consultant to draft recommendations for exploring the use of renewable energy and energy efficiency technologies to create a more sustainable energy framework.

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Turks and Caicos This profile provides a snapshot of the energy landscape of the Turks and Caicos--a British overseas territory consisting of two groups of islands located southeast of the Bahamas. The 2015 electricity rates in Turks and Caicos are \$0.29 per kilowatt-hour (kWh), slightly below the Caribbean regional average of \$0.33/kWh. Like

Electricity is generated almost exclusively via diesel generators, and solar and renewable energy account for around 1 MW of installed capacity (approximately 2% of power consumed in the Turks and Caicos based on 2022 figures). Current generation capacity is 86 MW across the country, with a peak demand of 46 MW (2022 data).

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